

POA FILE *Leg*

OCA 87-5374
20 October 1987

NOTE FOR:
Evaluation and Policy Staff

STAT

FROM:
Legislation Division
Office of Congressional Affairs

STAT

SUBJECT: Legislation on POWs and MIAs in Southeast Asia

Chairman Stokes has requested the views of the Intelligence Community on H.R. 2260. Attached is a copy of the bill and the request for our views. The bill would require the Executive branch to make available to the public reports on POWs and MIAs in Southeast Asia. Exempted would be reports that would reveal sources and methods of intelligence.

I would appreciate your contacting EA division to determine their reaction to the bill. In particular, EA division should attempt to answer Stokes' inquiry on the magnitude and usefulness of declassifying all live sighting documents. The IC staff will coordinate on this bill for the rest of the Intelligence Community. Thanks for your assistance.

STAT

Attachment
as stated

Distribution:

Original - Addressee
1 - OCARead
1 - OCA Registry
1 - OCA/Leg/Subject File
1 - DMP/Signer

OCA/Leg (20 October 1987)

STAT